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SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
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New Areas of Skill Development
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Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry has opened new areas of Skill Development training in addition to the traditional occupational training available to the ITIs throughout the country;

(b) if so the details thereof;

(c) whether the Ministry is extending its assistance to the State ITIs in terms of technical experts (Trainees), machinery, funds etc.; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

(a) & (b) Directorate General of Training (DGT), Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship has implemented "Dual System of Training" (DST) in ITIs across the country in year 2016. Dual System combines practical training in the industry and theoretical knowledge along with foundation practical in ITI(s) which leads to better ITI − Industry linkage. DST enables the ITI trainees to have exposure to latest trends in the industry.

The Dual System of Training is currently available in the following 16 trades:

i. Electrician
ii. Fitter
iii. Machinist
iv. Turner
v. Electronics Mechanic
vi. Welder
vii. Mechanic Diesel
viii. Mechanic (Motor Vehicle)
ix. Cosmetology
x. Tool & Die Maker (Dies & Moulds)
xi. Draughtsman (Mechanical)
xii. Attendant Operator (Chemical Plant)
xiii. Mechanic Refrigeration and Air-conditioning
xiv. Plumber
xv. Automotive Body Repair
xvi. Automotive Paint Repair

(c) & (d) Directorate General of Training under Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship is extending its assistance to State ITIs by implementing following schemes for upgrading Industrial Training Institute (ITIs) throughout the country:-

1. World Bank assisted Vocational Training Improvement Project (VTIP): The scheme, inter-alia, covers upgradation of 400 Government ITIs in 34 States/ Union Territories. The Government of India has released Rs. 1233.30 crore under VTIP. Physical component of the scheme consist of setting of new classrooms, workshops and modernization of tools, equipment and machinery.

2. Upgradation of existing Government ITIs into Model ITIs: 25 Government ITIs have been covered for upgradation into Model ITIs in 24 States. The Government of India has released Rs. 65.64 crore under the scheme so far.

3. Enhancing Skill Development Infrastructure in NE States: The scheme envisages upgradation of 20 existing ITIs by introducing of 3 new trades in each ITI and supplementing old and obsolete tools and equipment in each of 28 existing ITIs in 8 Northeastern States. An amount of Rs. 57.51 crore (100% centrally funded) has been released for the purpose.